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Letter dated 20 February 2006 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo addressed to the President of the Security Council

On behalf of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo and further to the report of the Group of Experts on the Democratic Republic of the Congo (S/2006/53), I have the honour to submit herewith an addendum to the aforementioned report.

I would appreciate it if the present letter, together with its enclosure, were brought to the attention of the members of the Security Council and issued as a document of the Council.

(*Signed*) Oswaldo de **Rivero**
Chairman
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Report of the Group of Experts on the Democratic Republic of the Congo

Addendum

In addition to its field-based investigations for the tracing and recording of arms in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, the Group requested assistance and information from a number of States (see S/2006/53, para. 36). The table provides the status of the Group's requests and responses to date. Further information is expected.

State	*Subject of request*	*Status of response*
Bulgaria	Tracing, exportation, visiting of manufacturing sites	Partial response
Burundi	Transit of firearms	Full response
China	Tracing, exportation, technical assistance	Partial response
Democratic Republic of the Congo	Tracing, recording and importation	Partial response
Nigeria	Tracing, exportation	No response
Russian Federation	Tracing, exportation	Partial response
Rwanda	Tracing, exportation, transit	Partial response
South Africa	Tracing	Partial response
Uganda	Tracing, exportation and transit	Partial response
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Tracing of ammunition, technical assistance	Full response
United States of America	Tracing, exportation, technical assistance	Full response
Zimbabwe	Technical assistance, visiting of manufacturing sites	No response